

Those serving	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
Announcements	Glenn Brose	Paul Carpenter
Song Leader	Bob Mount	Dennis Mount
Opening Prayer	TBD	Glenn Brose
Lord's Supper (Prayer)	Paul Carpenter	Bob Mount
Helper	TBD	TBD
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Closing Prayer	Glenn Brose	Paul Carpenter
Greeters	Paul & Angela	Dennis & Colleen
Prayer Room	Paul Carpenter	Glenn Brose
Communion Preparation for September	Colleen Mount	

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Birthdays in September

Gregg Tholen 9/02	Mel Lamb 9/12
Jaycob Reynolds 9/04	Reagan Tholen 9/29

Anniversaries in September

LeLand & Ellen Pennington 9/04

Re-Birthdays in September

Josh Balon 9/28/2008

Attendance Record

Attendance last Sunday	22
Weekly Budget	\$600.00

Bible Correspondence Courses and Home Bible Studies are available upon request.

Sunday Services

Bible class	9:30 AM
AM Worship	10:30 AM
PM Worship and Class	6:00 PM

Wednesday Service

Bible Study	7:00 PM
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September 23, 2018

Must

Matthew 16:21

Welcome

We wish to welcome you to services at the Pearl Street church of Christ. If you are a visitor with us today, know that you are an honored guest. We invite you to join us each time we meet together for worship and Bible study. If you have any questions about any aspect of our worship service, or the church of Christ in general, we would love to answer those questions for you.

Just A Thought

It has been said that, “The most important thing in life is to love someone. The second most important thing in life is to have someone love you. The third most important thing is to have the first two happen at the same time.” I would suggest that the most important thing is to know that God loves you. The second is to love God, and the third is to have them both happen at the same time.

Weekly Memory Verse

Ephesians 2:6-7, ⁶and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, ⁷so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.

Bible Quiz Time

How did Moses make the bitter water of Marah sweet?

Today's Bible Passage

Matthew 16:21, English Standard Version.

“²¹From that time Jesus began to show His disciples that He must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised.”

Paul's Portion

God truly works in mysterious ways. The Lord recently gave me a refresher on the concept of trusting in Him. Shortly after receiving my new car a recall notice arrived in the mail. Receiving a recall notice on a brand new car is in itself a little disconcerting, but the fact that it was a major repair added to the disconcertment. When I took the car for the required service I was told that the parts would have to be ordered, so I went home and waited. I waited and waited and waited to hear that the parts had arrived. I was told time and time again that the parts were still not in. Fast forward five months, having grown tired of waiting for the parts to come in, and losing all confidence in the dealership to which I had taken my car, I went to a different dealer's shop. I was again told that the parts would have to be ordered, so again I went home and waited. This time I only had to wait about ten days. Here is where God's mysterious working comes into the story. While waiting the second time for the parts for the repair to come in, it became time for the oil to be changed. The cost of the oil change was going to be about 60 dollars at the dealership and about 30 dollars at a repair shop. However, the necessary recall repair was on the engine and entailed draining and replacing the oil. Thus, the recall service included a free oil change. If I would have been able to have the recall service completed when I initially took the car in, or even after a few months, I would have had to pay for my oil change. God, knowing that money isn't exactly flowing in my life right now, worked it out to save me at least 30 dollars. Let me state that, at the time, I had no idea why my recall was taking months to come to fruition, but the realization of the reason served to reiterate that God is indeed good. Christians have to accept and believe that God is working in our lives (Romans 8:28); that His plans are sometimes hidden (Ephesians 3:3); that we walk by faith and not by sight (2 Corinthians 5:7); and that this is the very definition of faith in our life (Hebrews 11:1). We may not know why things are playing out in our lives the way they are. We may not see the reason behind things for months, years, or even ever. We may not even enjoy the transition period. Through it all, however, we can trust in the Lord for He is indeed fully faithful (2 Timothy 2:13).

Take Note

The Communion preparer sign-up sheet still has blanks. September's Bible reading schedule is available in the foyer. The new edition of "Our Daily Bread" is now available. First Church of Christ Homecoming September 28&29. Our next fellowship meal will be next week, Sept. 30th. Paul has a cell phone once again, same number.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Faith Carpenter on being elected as Student Body Vice-President for the 2018-2019 school year and President elect for the 2019-2020 school year.

Traveling

Austin Balon is back at college in Florida.

Just For Fun

While filling out an application for employment, the applicant came to a query which asked, "What is your Church Preference?"

The man, not being a person of extraordinary intelligence thought the question for some time because he really needed the job. He wanted to impress the employer and answered very confidently, "I prefer a red brick church."

Bible Quiz Time Answer: He threw a log which the Lord showed him into the water, Exodus 15:23-25.

Illness and Prayer Concerns continued

Life Issues: Banach family, Julia Parker, Zach Slack

Kidney issues: Glenn Bishop, Ben Back, Edward Michaelson

General poor health: Charlie Balon, Earl Carpenter, Dylan,

Kay Gillis, Dennis Irwin, Cheryl Irwin, Charlie Kessinger, Mike Lucas, Barbara Milner, Dorothy Pfister, Pat Whitacre

Illness and Prayer Concerns

Dennis Mount, recovering from surgery.

Victims of Hurricane Florence.

Ginger Back, health issues.

Mark Deleonardis, ulcers in esophagus.

Joann Rutledge, recovering from gangrene.

Mona Greer, back pain and stomach pain.

Fay Lamb's cousin Herschel in poor health.

Butch Peelle, procedure to help tremors.

Bill Harris, possible Lou Gehrig disease.

Taylor Scarberry, ulcerative colitis.

Dana Mount, diabetes

Connie Whitmore, diabetes and cirrhosis of liver.

Clyde Wood, depression and health issues.

Kenny Lucas, recovering from a stroke.

Charlene Wisecup, COPD and bouts of pneumonia.

Nursing home: Audrey Hunter, Gaylord Valentine

Headaches/Migraines: Angel Balon, Dale Schraw

Stomach Issues: Katie Mount, Andrew Turner

Gall bladder: Samantha Estep, Delores Dwelley(+pancreas)

MS: Susan Binkley, Linda Fleming

Cardiac issues: Jr. Banks, William Brose, Steven Elliott,

Bob Fleming, Mary Lathram, Edward Michaelson,

Bob Mount

Cancer in remission: Hayden Cummings, Cliff Kerns,

Keith Mayes, Karen Smith, Roger Turner

Cancer: Rick Bryan, Goebel Craft, John Dayton,

Dottie Dysen, Regina Feltner, Olivia Furbee, Matt Hall,

Marilyn Heichelbech, Mellissa Jenkins, Linda King,

Kristen, Melissa Krumpus, Vernon Lucas, Dennis Mount,

Jenna Mount's grandma, Valerie Powers, Mary Sampson,

Diane Spruance, Shirley Thompson, Dorothy Trent,

Becky Tyree, Tom Wisecup

Must
Matthew 16:21

I. MUST GO

A. HE MUST GO

John 12:27

B. TO JERUSALEM

Luke 2:4-7, Luke 2:51, Matthew 16:13-16
Luke 13:33

II. MUST SUFFER

A. MANY THINGS

Matthew 26:67

Matthew 27:2, Luke 23:9-11

Matthew 27:26, Mark 15:17-20, Matthew 27:39

Isaiah 53:5

B. BY LEADERS

Matthew 26:57

Luke 23:1

Luke 23:6-8

III. MUST BE KILLED

A. LIFE GIVEN

Matthew 26:53-54

John 19:10-11

B. SEVERE

John 3:14

John 20:27

Galatians 3:13.

IV. MUST BE RAISED

A. NOT DECAY

Acts 2:24

Psalm 16:10

B. THIRD DAY

Matthew 28:1

Matthew 12:40

V. WE MUST.

A. LOVE

1 John 4:21

Matthew 5:48

B. FORGIVE

Colossians 3:13

Luke 17:4

C. BE HUMBLE

Matthew 20:26-27

Mark 9:35

D. BE FAITHFUL

Hebrews 11:6

John 4:24

E. BE JUDGED

2 Corinthians 5:10

Revelations 20:12

C. BE READY

Matthew 24:44

Acts 2:37-38